



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

1PW 1764

Applicant: Adam et al. Examiner: Virginia Manoharan
Serial No.: 10/068,694 Group Art Unit: 1764
Filed: February 6, 2002 Docket: 11862.16US01
Confirmation No.: 9196 Notice of Allow. Date:
Due Date: January 29, 2005
Title: Water Purification System

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on January 18, 2005.

By: Melissa Stanger

Name: Melissa Stanger

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

23552

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
- ☒ Amendment and Response
- ☒ Return postcard

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers or any future reply, if appropriate. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

MERCHANT & GOULD P.C.
P.O. Box 2903, Minneapolis, MN 55402-0903
612.332.5300

By: Alan R. Stewart

Name: Alan R. Stewart

Reg. No.: 47,974

ARS/mstanger



S/N 10/068,694

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Adam et al.	Examiner:	Virginia Manoharan
Serial No.:	10/068,694	Group Art Unit:	1764
Filed:	February 6, 2002	Docket No.:	11862.16US01
Title:	Water Purification System		

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on January 18, 2005.

By:

Name: Melissa Stanger

Melissa Stanger

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In the above-referenced application, Applicants offer the following Amendment and Response to the Office Action mailed on October 29, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are including in the **Listing of Claims** beginning on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 6.